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How do they get there? by IVAN T. SANDERSON

FLYING PHALANGER: This little fellow, who lives in Australia and New Guinea, made his scientific debut under highly unusual circumstances. The first specimen ever recorded was caught leaping blithely from rooftop to rooftop in, of all places, London!

Animals have a habit of turning up in strange places

Of ALL the animal stories I have collected, few have pleased me more than those about animals turning up in wrong places.

In New York City, last month, groundkeepers shot a fox in Yankee Stadium. The little fellow apparently came to the Stadium from Pennsylvania on a truck bringing a new field tarpaulin.

Even whales have a habit of taking a left turn when they should have gone right. There was the whale that swam up a creek in New York City and blocked a drawbridge, delaying commuter trains on the Long Island Railroad.

And take the albino frog plucked from a Manhattan gutter one winter night. Yes, little boys sometimes carry frogs in their pockets. But even in New York, little boys are seldom on the streets at midnight. The mystery of the country frog in the big city was never cleared up.

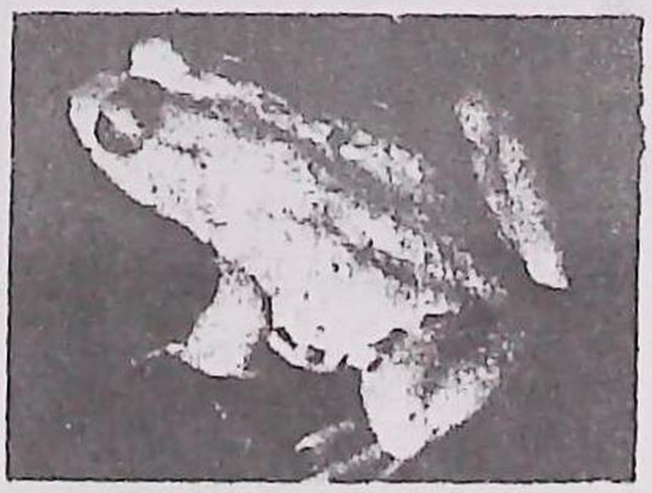
Strange Prize

THE classic case—to zoologists—involved an Australian Flying Phalanger or Opossum. The first specimen ever recorded was caught alive, not in Australia, but 12,000 miles away on a central London rooftop. How come? Don't ask me.

Perhaps a sailor brought it home, not realizing he had found a scientist's prize.

Not even sailors, though, carry five-foot alligators as pets. Yet one was caught on the banks of the Red River in Wisconsin in the chilling cold of February 1892! And a guest in a smart Manhattan hotel once was startled to find a two-foot alligator in his room. The baffled management sent up the house detective, who arrived with a loaded pistol. The 'gator was trapped in a waste basket, however.

If you wonder how such things can happen, consider that vast numbers of odd animals are imported into this country by zoos and private citizens. I used to watch a banker work out with a kangaroo



ALBINO FROG: How did it get to New York?

on a roof each morning. And there was a man nearby who bred red-crested macaws from the jungles of South America (see cover) in his apartment!

Some of the oddest discoveries have been made in lakes.

About the turn of the century squids were reported swimming in Lake Onondaga, in Western New York. Several were caught and sent to a museum for study.

Now squids are torpedo-shaped animals related to octopuses and normally live in the ocean. The experts were puzzled: how could they travel 400 miles from the Atlantic seacoast?

Frogs from the Sky?

Two explanations were offered. One, which seems plausible, was that they had been carried from the coast for bait. The other, more exciting, was put forward by some local anglers. They speculated that there might be a stratum of salt water beneath the surface, a sort of pocket of some ancient sea cut off by land and capped by stream water of less density.

Tales of seals being sighted in lakes are not unusual. And some of them are perfectly plausible. It is possible for a seal to make his way up a river. But what can we say when there is no river?

There must be an explanation to all these odd appearances. But sometimes it's hard to find.

Unless animals do sometimes "rain out of the sky," as so often reported, how could four city blocks of North London be littered with full-grown frogs after a thunder shower in early spring?

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Good Housekeeping

Though by all odds the strongest beast in the jungle, even the elephant wi

It's not the lion. He's an overrated coward with a penchant for sleeping

HAIR-RAISING TALES about animals always makes news, and last summer's celebrated, if bloody, encounter between a circus gorilla and a panther was no exception. The ape gained entrance to the panther's cage, and the cat promptly tore off the ape's arm, leaving the animal to be dispatched later by its keeper.

Many people reacted as if a table-tennis champion had knocked out a boxer. But then people are constantly being surprised about animals. Practically everything that is commonly accepted about their behaviour, it sometimes seems, turns out, on investigation, to be untrue!

Take for example the lion. For reasons which are partly psychological, partly historical, most people consider the lion the noble King of Beasts. The gorilla, on the other hand, is usually regarded as an indomitable thug, an only slightly subhuman creature of the utmost savagery and strength.

In point of actual fact, the lion is a somewhat pompous coward with a great penchant for sleeping, and the mighty gorilla is a retiring vegetarian who has been known to scramble away in terror at the sight of a troupe of small monkeys.

Far from being the king, the lion is plagued by a host of lesser creatures. Among them is an insignificant little animal, half the size of a rabbit, known as the zorille.

Many a hunter sitting by a kill at night, waiting to bag lions, has been amazed to see half a dozen of the great cats whimpering at a safe distance from the meat while a zorille placidly sniffs the choicest scraps. The explanation for this cowardly behavior is that the zorille has about the same glandular equipment as our own skunk, plus remarkably good aim. Like the skunk,

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The lion looked pained and made a pass at the intruder, whereupon the buzzing rose to an angry pitch and the lion backed off a few feet. There he lay down with his great head on his paws, totally cowed by an insect a ten-thousandth of his weight.

The Real King!

If there is a King of Beasts at all, especially in what is commonly called the jungle, I would personally cast my vote for the largest available species of hornet! There are no animals, not even the elephant, that can withstand a concerted attack by a flight of hornets—and few will pause to argue matters with even a single individual.

Despite a lot of excellent fiction, animals seldom fight in the wilds. There may be a violent male sparring at mating seasons within a herd, and meat-eaters customarily kill fear-stricken vegetable-eaters.

Even so, there are exceptions, notably mothers whose offspring are threatened. The placid giraffe will stand up to a charging lion under these circumstances, and one has been known to kick a lion's head off with her powerful back leg. A female eland, the largest of the antelopes, can fight ferociously, too. She has been known to kill leopards and even lions by the simple expedient of driving her pointed front hoofs clean through her attackers.

In fact, when it comes to outright fights, once actually provoked, the most unexpected things happen.

A great boa constrictor is a hopeless wreck in a flash if a jaguar once makes a fair slash at his back muscles. But let him get a single coil around the cat and another around a branch and lift him off the ground . . . that's the end!

Tiger vs. Buffalo. Who Wins?

The great cats of Africa, the lion and the leopard, will seldom, if ever, attack buffalo, but the tiger of Asia will sometimes inadvertently do so. Buffalo fight back, and one has been seen to up and kill two tigers with a simple right and left side-swipe of its great, curved horns. Another was observed repeatedly charging a tiger until he backed the cat against a bank, then trampled him to death.

When it comes to a direct trial of strength one may expect equal surprises. In this there is one animal that is almost invariably the winner: the elephant.

Nothing can cope with its sheer bulk and that unique weapon, its trunk. By the same token, that armor-plated idiot, the rhinoceros, is seldom attacked, seldom defeated.

The hippopotamus, likewise, reigns more or less supreme in the rivers of Africa, apparently maintaining a truce with the crocodiles, though the bite of the former is probably the most terrible in nature and would settle even the largest crocodile in one snap.

The leopard is the natural enemy of the gorilla and customarily attacks and kills him, but let old man gorilla get a two-handed grip on the cat and you may witness a practical demonstration in mathematics —simple division. Gargantua could divide a human wrestler as we would a roll if he ever laid two hands on him in anger.

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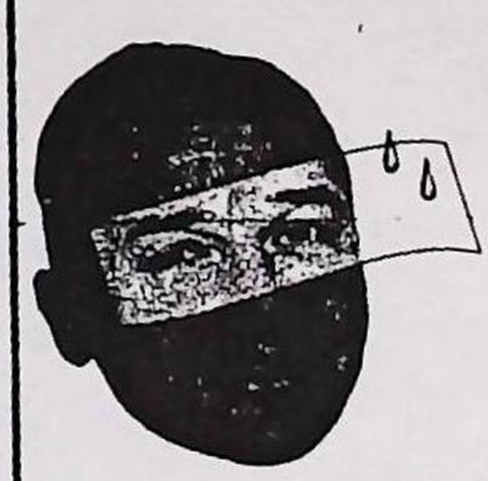

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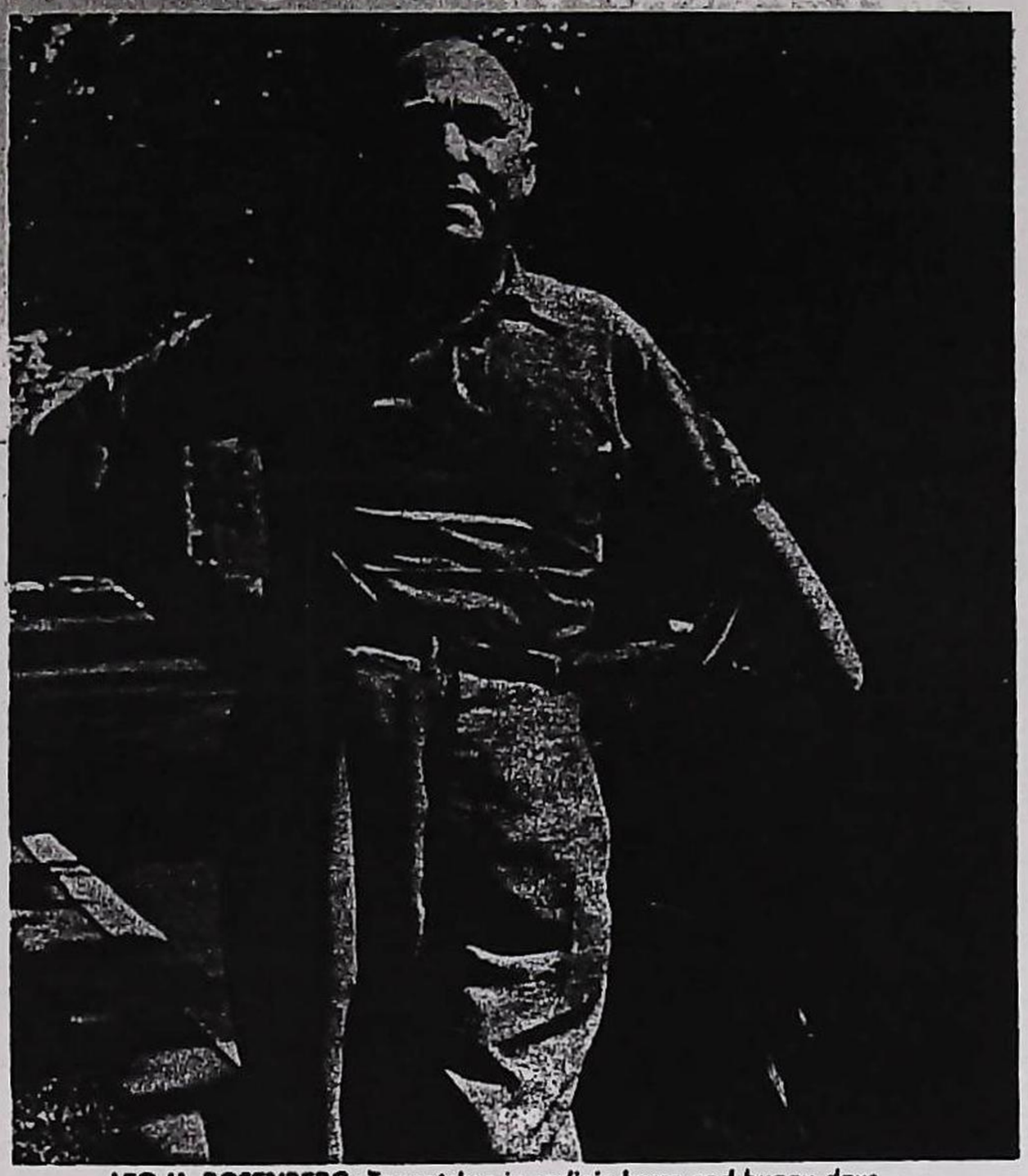

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I HAVE SEEN these friendly little monkeys fly at each other or gang up on a new arrival and deliberately break each other's arms.

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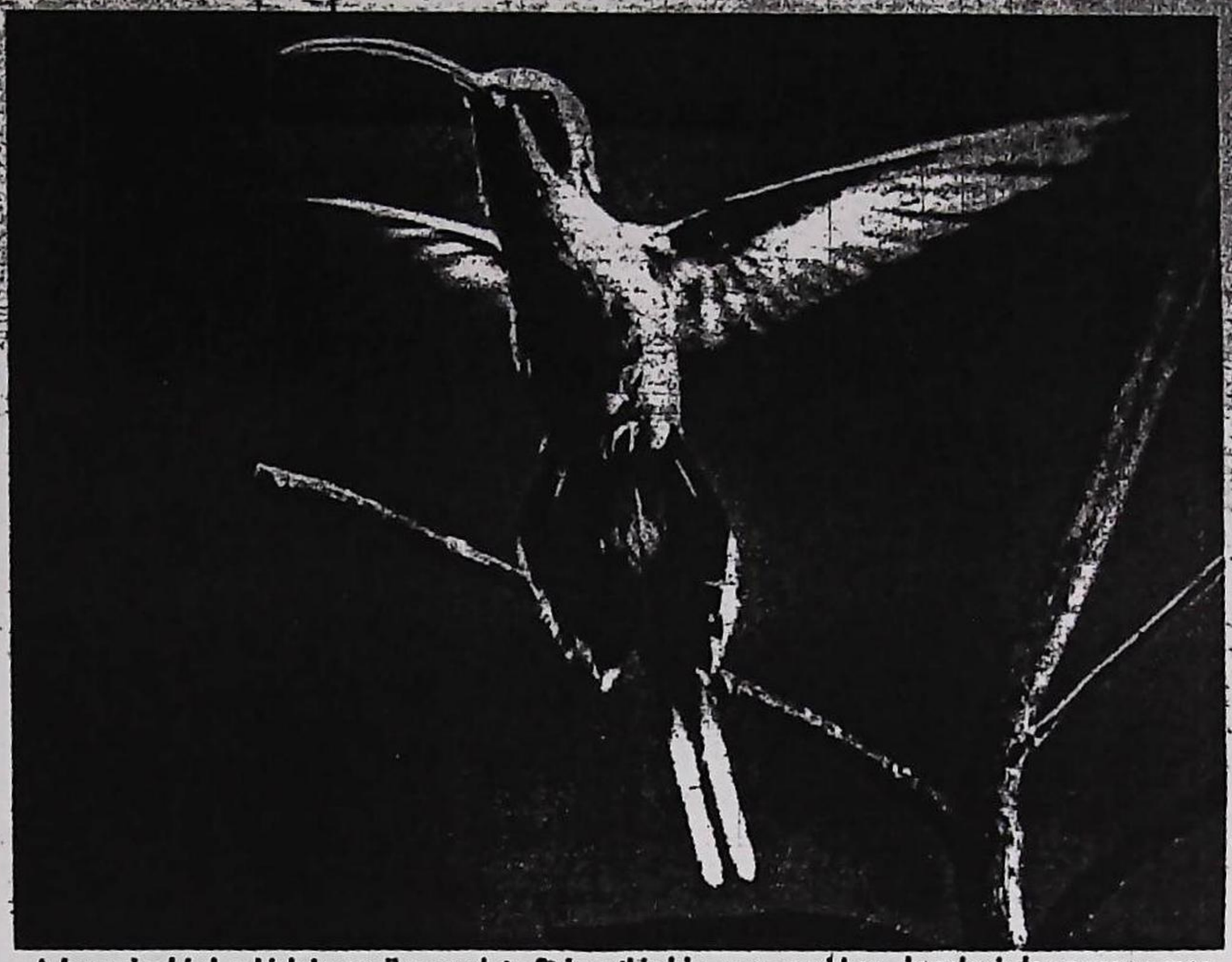

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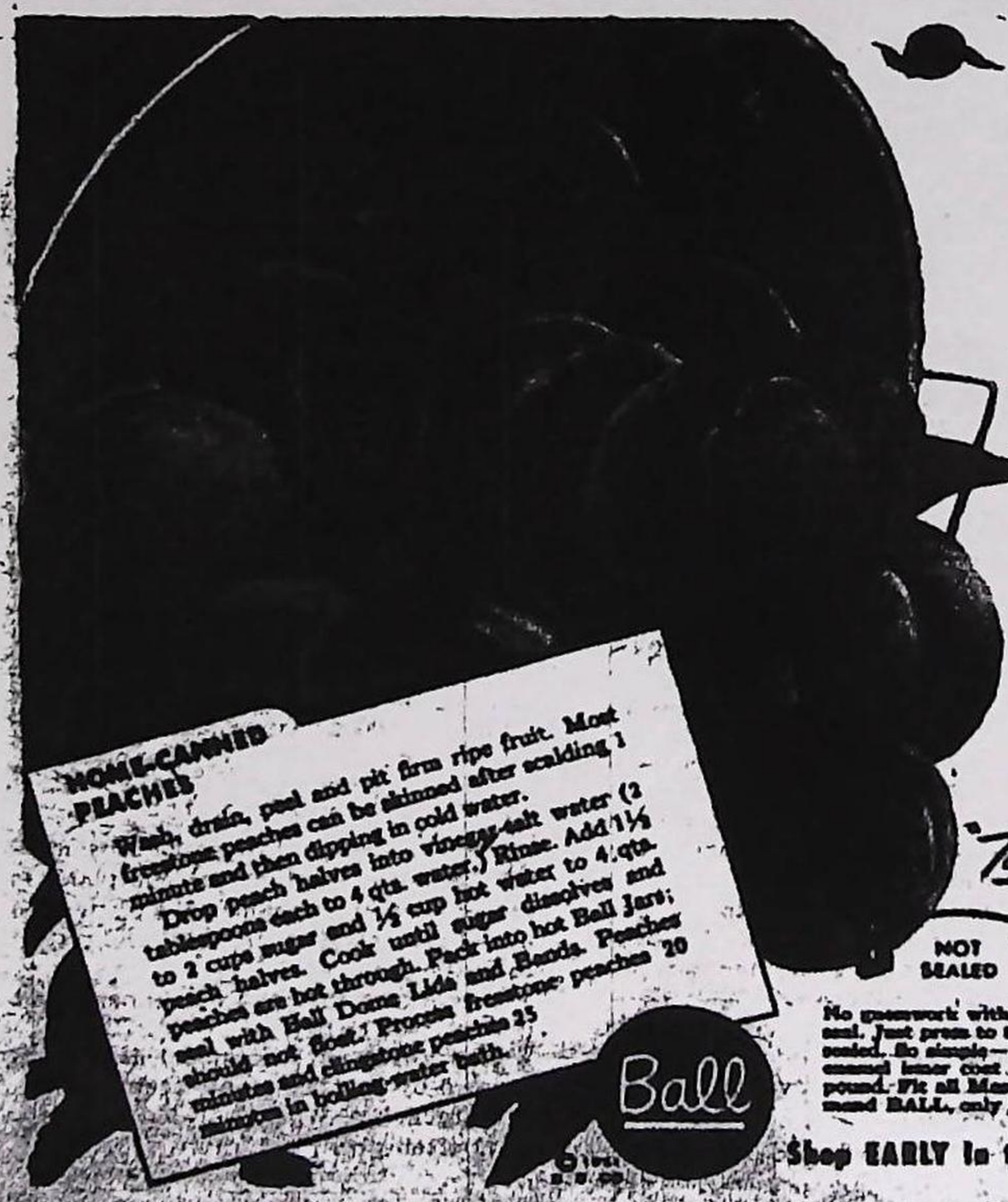
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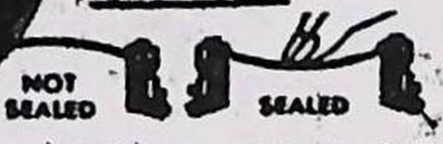

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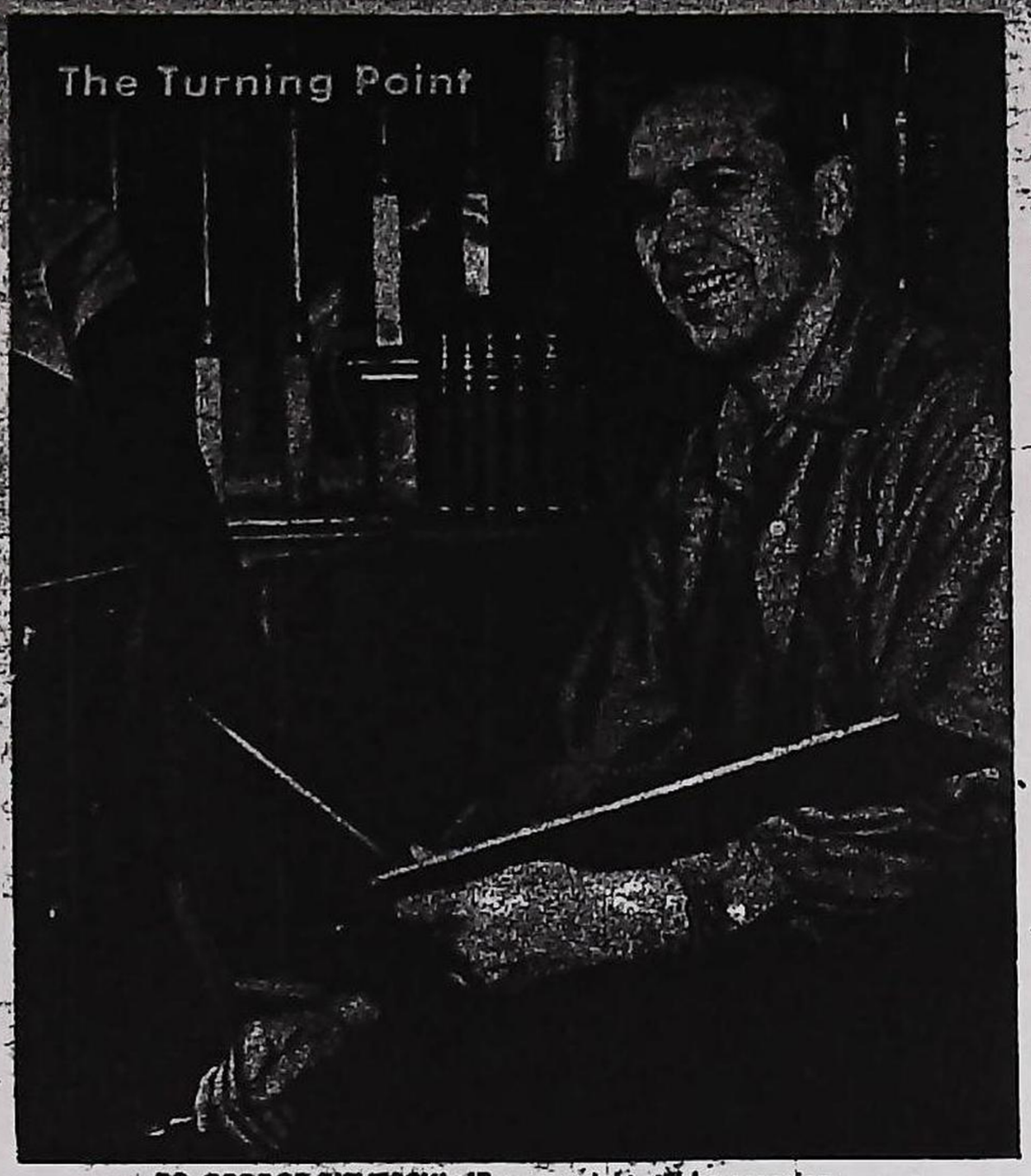

DR. GEORGE RIEVESCHI, JR.: *you might still be sneezing . . .*

The Snow Was Black

The next time you take an anti-histamine drug for hay fever or a cold, be thankful that an art student named George Rieveschi, Jr., was painting a picture 20 years ago.

As a result, the art student became one of the pioneers in drug research. Today, at only 35, he is one of our top research chemists.

But, getting back to the picture: ever since boyhood in Arlington Heights, O., Rieveschi had wanted to be an artist. So he enrolled in an art school in Cincinnati. Like many students, Rieveschi didn't have much money, so he and another student decided to mix their own paints.

They whipped up a batch and Rieveschi painted a beautiful winter landscape. He admired it for a week, until one day he noticed that the *homemade white snow had turned black.*

He Wanted to Know Why

And that launched Rieveschi on a brand new career.

Trying to find out what caused the change, he became so interested in the *chemistry* of paints that he stopped studying painting!

- Soon afterward, Rieveschi enrolled in the University of Cincinnati to study chemistry. After getting his A.B. and Ph.D. degrees, he decided to teach the subject.
- In 1943, he joined a big drug house: Parke, Davis & Co. in Detroit. There, he sparked a great medical development, the discovery of an anti-histamine called Benadryl. It opened the way to treatment of millions of people suffering from allergies.
- In 1949, he became director of his company's research in organic and biochemistry. *He's glad now that the snow turned black.*

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THE COVER

Water skiers say the "dipsy doodle" (performed by Donna Hutchinson of Chicago and Larry McIver of Cypress Gardens, Fla.) is the toughest routine in the sport. The National Water Ski Championship will be held next Friday at Lake Placid, N. Y.

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on parade: a pup tries modern furniture . . .

"Ah, a nice new chair to sleep on! Let's see, how do you get in these things?"

"Hmmm, something like a hammock for dogs. All I have to do is balance myself."

"Whoops! Something's wrong. Better get off this contraption before it caves in."

"I give up. What, oh what, happened to that sensible overstuffed chair we had?"

PEGGY DOW: *her wrinkles were convincing . . .*

The Turning Point

Television got her into movies!

Peggy Dow is 22, blonde, beautiful and with a figure that once won her the distinction of being Miss Louisiana, but she is sure the best thing that happened to her was gray hair and wrinkles!

"If I hadn't become an old woman," says Peggy, "my career might have been concerned mostly with a typewriter!"

Peggy, who is considered one of the most promising young stars in Hollywood (she's the sympathetic nurse in Universal-International's movie version of "Harvey"), began her bout with the world as a secretary-receptionist in a New Orleans radio station. At college, she majored in radio acting, but radio roles being as scarce as snow in her home town, Athens, Tenn., she just traded her microphone for a desk. Then, one day, she visited a school chum in Hollywood. While there, she got herself a bit part in television.

The role was what Peggy calls "chewy." She had to be an old woman who was being badgered by blackmailers. She not only needed wrinkles and gray hair; she needed tremors and a shaky voice. Peg gave it all she had.

"I was the oldest, scaredest woman you can imagine!" she recalls.

A Director Is Always Looking

Next day a call came from the casting director at Universal-International. He had seen her performance and wanted to give her a movie test. The rest is strictly in Cinderella tradition.

Peggy got a seven-year contract, made several movies and is enjoying the overnight success about which millions of American girls dream.

"Here I am in movies because someone saw me on television when all the while I expected to become a radio actress," muses Peggy. "And I got the break because I was pretending to be an old lady. Isn't that something!"

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The red-and-blue macaw is one of the most beautiful birds in the world and one of the most conceited. Found in South America from Guiana to Paraguay, he spends most of his time hanging around (in treetops) in crowds and shouting his own name in a loud, conceited voice: "Macaw! Macaw! Macaw!"

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on parade: "Self-service" on your chin!

An Albany, N.Y., laundry has opened a shave bar, so customers can clip whiskers when they drop off the wash. Razor rental, talc and lotion are included in price.

FLYING PHALANGER: This little fellow, who lives in Australia and New Guinea, made his scientific debut under highly unusual circumstances. The first specimen ever recorded was caught leaping blithely from rooftop to rooftop in, of all places, London!

Animals have a habit of turning up in strange places

OF ALL the animal stories I have collected, few have pleased me more than those about animals turning up in wrong places.

In New York City, last month, groundkeepers shot a fox in Yankee Stadium. The little fellow apparently came to the Stadium from Pennsylvania on a truck bringing a new field tarpaulin.

Even whales have a habit of taking a left turn when they should have gone right. There was the whale that swam up a creek in New York City and blocked a drawbridge, delaying commuter trains on the Long Island Railroad.

And take the albino frog plucked from a Manhattan gutter one winter night. Yes, little boys sometimes carry frogs in their pockets. But even in New York, little boys are seldom on the streets at midnight. The mystery of the country frog in the big city was never cleared up.

Strange Prize

THE classic case—to zoologists—involved an Australian Flying Phalanger or Opossum. The first specimen ever recorded was caught alive, not in Australia, but 12,000 miles away on a central London rooftop. How come? Don't ask me.

Perhaps a sailor brought it home, not realizing he had found a scientist's prize.

Not even sailors, though, carry five-foot alligators as pets. Yet one was caught on the banks of the Red River in Wisconsin in the chilling cold of February 1892! And a guest in a smart Manhattan hotel once was startled to find a two-foot alligator in his room. The baffled management sent up the house detective, who arrived with a loaded pistol. The 'gator was trapped in a waste basket, however.

If you wonder how such things can happen, consider that vast numbers of odd animals are imported into this country by zoos and private citizens. I used to watch a banker work out with a kangaroo

ALBINO FROG: how did it get to New York?

on a roof each morning. And there was a man nearby who bred red-crested macaws from the jungles of South America (see cover) in his apartment!

Some of the oddest discoveries have been made in lakes.

About the turn of the century squids were reported swimming in Lake Onondaga, in Western New York. Several were caught and sent to a museum for study.

Now squids are torpedo-shaped animals related to octopuses and normally live in the ocean. The experts were puzzled: how could they travel 400 miles from the Atlantic seacoast?

Frogs from the Sky?

TWO explanations were offered. One, which seems plausible, was that they had been carried from the coast for bait. The other, more exciting, was put forward by some local anglers. They speculated that there might be a stratum of salt water beneath the surface, a sort of pocket of some ancient sea cut off by land and capped by stream water of less density.

Tales of seals being sighted in lakes are not unusual. And some of them are perfectly plausible. It is possible for a seal to make his way up a river. But what can we say when there is no river?

There must be an explanation to all these odd appearances. But sometimes it's hard to find.

Unless animals do sometimes "rain out of the sky," as so often reported, how could four city blocks of North London be littered with full-grown frogs after a thunder shower in early spring?

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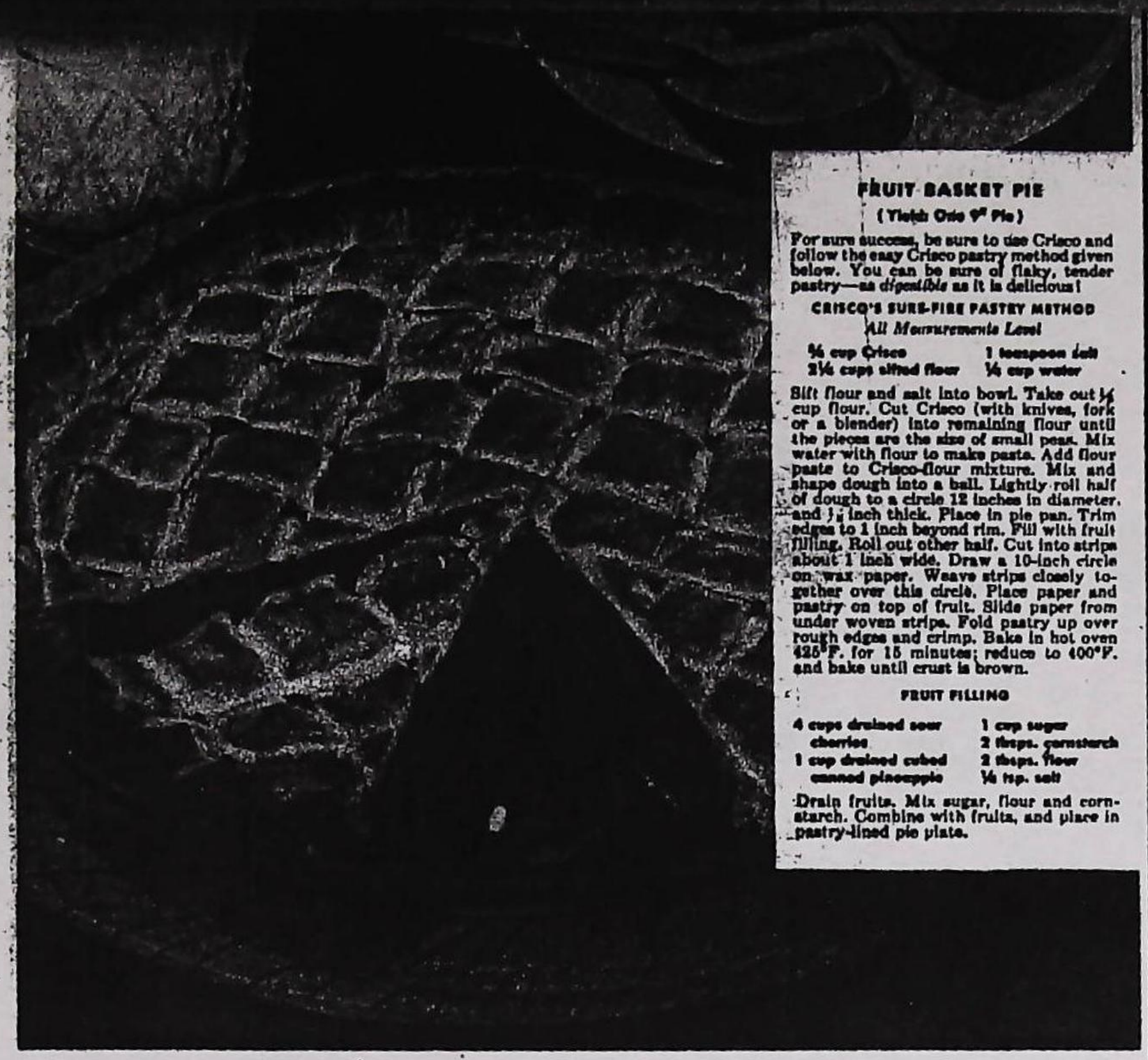

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FRUIT FILLING

4 cups drained sour cherries	1 cup sugar
1 cup drained cubed canned pineapple	2 tbsps. cornstarch
	2 tbsps. flour
	⅛ tsp. salt

Drain fruits. Mix sugar, flour and cornstarch. Combine with fruits, and place in pastry-lined pie plate.

TROPHY: Walter Grega examines half-starved red fox he shot in New York's Yankee Stadium

HOW DO THEY GET THERE?

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